

Counsellor

We have two exciting opportunities to join our passionate and motivated Counselling team at Ōtūmoetai College, a co educational state secondary school with over 1900 students from year 9-13.

We are seeking a registered and qualified Counsellor. Our preference is for someone with experience in a secondary school setting, or who has previously worked with adolescents. Someone who can work as part of a team and manage a complex and varied workload, working with students, staff, Whanau and the wider community.

The Key purpose of the role is to support students facing challenges and collaborate with whanau/families. The successful applicant will be competent in a variety of counselling approaches, have experience working with young people and their whanau, and demonstrate cultural competence in their practice.

Position One - Up to four days per week

Position Two - Job-share position for two days per week.

The role's start date is end of January 2024 - specific start date TBC/flexible.

Qualifications:

We are looking for candidates who have:

- A relevant degree and counselling certification.
- Registration.
- Strong Interpersonal and communication skills.
- Empathy and a deep understanding of the challenges students face.
- Experience with working with adolescents.

Applications close 2pm, Thursday 14 December 2023.

All applications must be made on the school application form.

This can be found on our school website together with the job description. Please submit your application with a cover letter and CV to supportvacancy@otc.school.nz

Interviews will commence the week of the 15th January 2024.